EMIGRATION STATISTICS

OF

IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR

1917.

REPORT AND TABLES SHOWING THE NUMBER, AGES, CONJUGAL CONDITION, AND DESTINATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS FROM EACH COUNTY AND PROVINCE IN IRELAND DURING THE YEAR 1917; ALSO THE OCCUPATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS, AND THE NUMBER OF EMIGRANTS WHO LEFT EACH PORT IN EACH MONTH OF THE YEAR.

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11*th March*, 1918.

SIR,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th inst. forwarding, for submission to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, Emigration Statistics of Ireland for the year 1917.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. O'FARRELL.

THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL,

General Register Office,

Charlemont House,

Dublin.

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OBSERVATIONS

ON

THE EMIGRATION STATISTICS OF IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR 1917.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY IVOR CHURCHILL, BARON WIMBORNE,

&c., &c., &c.,

LORD LIEUTENANT-GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

I have the honour of submitting for your Excellency's consideration this Report on the Statistics of Emigration from Ireland for the year 1917.

"An Emigrant" is defined, for the purposes of this Report, as "a person who leaves Ireland with the intention of *settling permanently elsewhere*," and the Enumerators have instructions to furnish particulars regarding such persons departing *in each passenger ship* which sails from an Irish port.

General Summary.—During the year 1917 the total number of emigrants, as returned by the enumerators, who embarked at Irish ports, with the intention of settling permanently elsewhere, was 2,129, of whom 852 were males and 1,277 were females.

They include 2,111 (838 males and 1,273 females), representing 0.5 per 1,000 of the estimated population, who were stated to be natives of Ireland. The number of emigrants (2,111) in 1917 is 5,191 less than that for the preceding year, and constitutes a record for the country.

During the period from the 1st May, 1851 (when the collection of emigration returns commenced) to 31st December, 1917, the number of natives of Ireland who emigrated was 4,318,713 (2,243,897 males and 2,074,816 females), equivalent to 82.8 per cent. of the average population* of the country.

Emigration by Provinces and Counties.—Table A, page 4, gives for each province and county in Ireland the number of emigrants by sexes, during the above-mentioned period, and shows that the emigration from the province of Munster was equal to 111.1 per cent. of its average population, that for Connaught the percentage was 91.8, for Ulster 70.7, and for Leinster the corresponding percentage was 56.4.

For the counties the percentages varied from 126.0 in Kerry, 117.1 in Clare, 112.8 in Cork, 105.1 in Longford, and 104.7 in Tipperary to 29.4 in Dublin, 42.9 in Wicklow, 51.3 in Kildare, 55.5 in Down and 59.1 in Wexford.

In 1917, of the 2,111 emigrants, 677 were natives of the province of Leinster, 78 of Munster, 1,248 of Ulster, and 108 of Connaught. Table 3, page 10 supplies the information for provinces and counties with the number of emigrants to every 1,000 of the population. The rate varied from 0.0 in six of the counties to 4.0 per 1,000 of the population in Louth county.

* See note (*) to Table A, page 4.

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TABLE A.—Showing, by Sexes, the number of Emigrants from each Province and County, from the 1st of May, 1851, to the 31st of December, 1917, with the ratio to the average Population.*

Provinces and Counties.	Estimated Average Population.*	Emigrants from 1st May, 1851, to 31st December, 1917.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Emigrants to every 100 of the Average Population.*
Province of Leinster.					
Carlow County	48,357	18,361	17,286	35,627	73·7
Dublin "	427,137	70,076	55,498	125,574	29·4
Kildare "	78,180	22,164	17,905	40,069	51·3
Kilkenny "	104,903	40,522	37,743	78,265	74·6
King's "	76,311	32,143	30,348	62,491	81·9
Longford "	60,415	32,144	31,380	63,524	105·1
Louth "	80,137	24,243	24,665	48,908	81·0
Meath "	91,968	36,582	33,118	69,700	75·8
Queen's "	76,028	30,203	29,967	60,170	79·1
Westmeath "	77,116	28,540	25,193	53,733	69·7
Wexford "	128,422	39,973	35,906	75,879	59·1
Wicklow "	74,030	17,775	13,985	31,760	42·9
TOTAL,	1,323,004	392,728	352,974	745,700	58·4
Province of Munster.					
Clare County	144,201	82,688	86,231	168,919	117·1
Cork "	492,309	287,076	268,438	555,514	112·8
Kerry "	191,800	120,488	121,145	241,631	126·0
Limerick "	185,786	97,925	94,895	192,820	103·8
Tipperary "	212,134	114,528	107,484	222,012	104·7
Waterford "	114,891	58,613	50,723	109,336	95·2
TOTAL,	1,341,121	761,316	728,916	1,490,232	111·1
Province of Ulster.					
Antrim County	416,804	172,441	126,330	298,771	71·7
Armagh "	159,687	60,209	47,191	107,400	67·3
Cavan "	128,430	63,155	61,984	125,139	97·4
Donegal "	206,414	74,179	66,854	140,833	68·2
Down "	295,002	98,048	65,559	163,607	55·5
Fermanagh "	85,902	30,665	29,000	59,665	69·5
Londonderry "	164,630	64,966	50,785	115,731	70·3
Monaghan "	102,619	41,834	38,341	80,175	78·1
Tyrone "	196,048	79,571	69,961	149,532	76·3
TOTAL,	1,755,536	685,068	555,785	1,240,853	70·7
Province of Connaught.					
Galway County	239,303	111,878	124,355	236,233	98·7
Leitrim "	87,731	42,294	43,670	85,964	98·0
Mayo "	232,880	91,063	113,757	204,820	88·0
Roscommon "	130,735	56,448	60,182	116,630	89·2
Sligo "	105,947	41,338	46,204	87,542	82·6
TOTAL,	796,598	343,021	388,168	731,189	91.8
County unspecified,	—	61,766	48,973	110,739	—
TOTAL—NATIVES OF IRELAND,	—	2,243,897	2,074,816	4,318,713	82·8
Persons belonging to other Countries, who embarked at Irish Ports from 1858 *to* 1917, *inclusive,*	—	35,731	14,987	50,718	—
GENERAL TOTAL,	5,216,257	2,279,828	2,089,803	4,369,431	—

* Based on the Census Returns of 1851, 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901, and 1911.

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Ages of Emigrants.—Table 1 shows for each province and county the number of emigrants in 1917 by ages, sexes and conjugal conditions. It would appear from this table that of the males (natives of Ireland) 465 (or 55.5 per cent.) were under 15 years of age, 155 (or 18.5 per cent.) between 15 and 35 years and 218 (or 26.0 per cent.) 35 years of age and upwards. Of the female emigrants, 370 (or 29.0 per cent.) were under 15 years of age, 631 (or 49.6 per cent.) between 15 and 35 years, and 272 (21.4 per cent.) were 35 years and upwards.

Conjugal Conditions.—Of 838 male emigrants, 234 (or 27.9 per cent.) were described as married or widowed, and of the 1,273 females who emigrated 460 (or 36.1 per cent.) were so circumstanced.

Destinations.—In Table 3 on page 10 will be found for each county and province of Ireland the number of emigrants who left for the several destinations during the year 1917.

This table shows that 1908 (or 90.4 per cent. of the total emigrants) were returned by the enumerators as permanent emigrants to Great Britain, 996 (or 47.2 per cent.) embarking for England and Wales, and 912 (or 43.2 per cent.) for Scotland. Of the remaining emigrants, 88 left for the United States, 79 for Canada, 13 for South Africa, 13 for Australia, 9 for New Zealand and one for West Africa.

Occupations.—Table 2 gives the occupations and ages of male and female emigrants from Ireland during the year. Of the total male emigrants 184 (or 21.6 per cent.) were returned as "labourers," and of the total number of female emigrants 335 (or 26.2 per cent.) were described as "servants."

Prepaid Passages.—Only 8 of the 83 steerage passengers to the United States had their passages paid for in America in 1917, as compared with 516 prepaid passages among 4,162 steerage passengers in 1916.

I have the honour to be

Your Excellency's faithful servant,

WILLIAM J. THOMPSON,

Registrar-General.

General Register Office,

Charlemont House, Dublin,

7th March, 1918.

Detailed Tables:

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TABLE 1.—Showing, for each County and Province, the Numbers, Sexes, Ages, and Conjugal Condition of the Persons who emigrated from Ireland during the year 1917.

From what County, Province, or Country.			Under 1 Year	1 and under 5 Years	5 and under 10.	10 and under 15.	15 and under 20.	20 and under 25	25 and under 30.	30 and under 35	35 and under 40.	40 and under 45.	45 and under 50.	50 and under 55.	55 and under 60	60 Years and upwards	Ages not specified.	Total Number of Males.	Total Number of Females.	General Total.
Carlow,	M.	Single,	..	2	2	3	1	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	6	...	30
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	...	
	F.	Single,	..	1	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	11	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	
Dublin Co. & County Borough,	M.	Single,	1	7	35	15	6	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	..	215
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	6	9	7	..	..	..	..	30	..	
	F.	Single,	1	4	23	23	8	7	6	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	76	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	17	17	11	2	...	..	...	..	..	50	
Kildare,	M.	Single,	..	4	7	6	3	1	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	81
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	6	1	..	..	..	..	10	..	
	F.	Single,	..	3	10	3	3	6	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	7	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	
Kilkenny	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
King's,	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	1
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
	F.	Single,	..	...	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	
Longford,	M.	Single,	..	..	2	2	1	..	...	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	16
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	.	
	F.	Single,	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	4	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	
Louth,	M.	Single,	1	12	10	6	6	3	2	4	1	2	1	1	1	..	..	54	..	255
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	2	4	6	7	2	..	..	..	25	..	
	F.	Single,	1	5	9	13	24	43	18	11	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	130	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	6	8	12	10	4	1	2	2	1	..	..	46	
Meath	M.	Single,	..	6	1	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	23
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	1	...	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	
	F.	Single,	..	1	4	..	...	1	2	..	..	...	—	..	..	..	..	..	8	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	
Queen's,	M.	Single,	1	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	11
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	.	
	F.	Single,	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	...	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	4	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Westmeath,	M.	Single,	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Wexford,	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	..
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	
	F.	Single,	..	..	.	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Wicklow,	M.	Single,	.	1	3	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	41
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	1	..	..	..	—	7	..	
	F.	Single,	..	2	6	3	1	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6	2	..	...	..	..	..	..	10	
Total of Leinster,	M.	Single,	3	29	50	38	26	5	5	7	4	3	1	1	1	..	..	173	..	677
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	11	22	25	18	6	..	..	..	88	..	
	F.	Single,	6	19	55	46	38	61	34	11	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	276	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	...	6	13	46	40	26	3	6	2	1	..	..	145	
Clare,	M.	Single,	..	..	2	7	1	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	10	..	25
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	...	..	4	..	
	F.	Single,	..	2	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..	..	7	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	
Cork Co. & County Borough.	M.	Single,	...	4	3	..	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	22
		Married and Widowed,	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	1	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
	F.	Single,	..	1	1	1	2	5	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	3	1	1	...	..	...	...	..	..	6	
Kerry,	M.	Single,	..	..	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	14
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	6	3	..	1	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	...	...	..	..	2	
Limerick Co. & Co. Borough	M.	Single,	..	..	1	..	1	4	...	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	12
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	...	..	2	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	1	1	..	...	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Tipperary,	M	Single,	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	1
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	...	..	..	..	...	1	...	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Waterford, Co & Co Borough.	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	...	1	..	1	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	2	.	4
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	.	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	...	..	
	F.	Single,	..	...	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total of Munster,	M	Single,	..	4	6	8	6	8	1	1	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	..	78
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	3	..	1	...	..	..	9	..	
	F.	Single,	..	3	5	5	3	5	6	2	1	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	29	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	4	5	2	...	1	..	..	..	..	12	
Antrim Co & Belfast Co Borough, part of	M.	Single,	4	44	7	32	9	6	..	3	4	6	...	...	..	..	..	137	..	430
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	4	10	17	10	...	..	1	..	47	..	
	F.	Single,	2	20	44	25	16	12	4	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	125	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	...	6	35	31	27	15	6	2	1	..	..	..	121	

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TABLE 1.—Showing, for each County and Province, the Numbers, Sexes, Ages, and Conjugal Condition of the Persons who emigrated from Ireland during the year 1917—*continued.*

From what County, Province, or Country.			Under 1 Year.	1 and under 5 Years.	5 and under 10.	10 and under 15.	15 and under 20.	20 and under 25.	25 and under 30.	30 and under 35.	35 and under 40.	40 and under 45.	45 and under 50.	50 and under 55.	55 and under 60.	60 Years and upwards.	Ages not specified.	Total Number of Males.	Total Number of Females.	General Total.
Armagh,	M.	Single,	..	5	4	2	4	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	18	..	38
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	.	..	..	..	..	1	5	2	..	..	1	3	..	9	..	
	F.	Single,	..	2	4	..	21	11	3	4	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	51	
		Married and Widowed,	.	..	.	..	..	..	..	2	5	3	5	..	1	..	..	..	10	
Cavan,	M.	Single,	..	2	3	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	55
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	.	..	..	..	1	1	5	1	2	..	..	1	..	9	..	
	F.	Single,	..	1	4	3	3	5	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	..	..	.	..	..	2	5	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	10	
Donegal,	M.	Single,	2	4	13	7	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	93
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	..	..	.	..	1	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	7	..	
	F.	Single,	..	10	8	7	6	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	..	..	..	1	2	5	4	5	3	1	..	5	..	..	23	
Down Co. & Belfast Co. Borough, part of	M.	Single,	5	24	28	20	13	5	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	101	..	419
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	11	5	8	1	..	1	..	55	..	
	F.	Single,	1	12	18	16	28	41	11	5	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	192	
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	..	..	1	2	13	21	19	13	2	1	1	1	..	..	74	
Fermanagh,	M.	Single,	..	3	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	53
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
	F.	Single,	..	5	4	5	5	7	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	.	..	5	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	
Lon'derry Co. & Co. Borough	M.	Single,	..	5	1	5	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	87
		Married and Widowed,	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	5	..	
	F.	Single,	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	13	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	3	2	1	..	..	.	..	..	5	
Monaghan,	M.	Single,	..	3	1	5	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	30
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	1	2	6	7	4	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	.	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	
Tyrone,	M.	Single,	5	10	15	7	5	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	40	..	113
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	.	..	1	1	4	4	1	1	..	1	..	15	..	
	F.	Single,	2	5	7	5	2	5	5	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	.	..	..	..	5	4	4	3	2	1	..	1	..	..	21	
Total of Ulster,	M.	Single,	14	95	165	87	54	12	1	6	5	8	3	..	1	1	..	370	..	1,248
		Married and Widowed,	.	.	.	..	..	..	11	12	35	32	25	3	1	9	..	125	..	
	F.	Single,	5	56	93	58	83	95	32	21	12	5	5	1	..	..	..	..	472	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	1	8	31	67	65	45	17	5	3	3	..	..	281	
Galway,	M.	Single,	..	1	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...		..	..	..	..	.	..	..	1	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	.	..	...	..	..	...	..	.	...	...	..	..	..	.	...	
Leitrim,	M.	Single,	..	2	2	..	1	1	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	16
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	
	F.	Single,	..	2	1	..	1	1	1	...	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	5	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	...	..	..	1	...	1	...	..	..	..	-	..	..	2	
Mayo,	M.	Single,	...	..	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	.	.	..	...	..	..	7	..	22
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	5	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	5	1	..	3	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	5	...	..	..	..	..	..	5	
Roscom'n,	M.	Single,	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	9	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	.	..	...	..	..	1	1	...	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	
	F.	Single,	..	1	..	1	...	1	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Sligo,	M.	Single,	..	4	3	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	17	..	58
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	5	2	1	..	..	..	7	..	
	F.	Single,	1	5	4	2	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	
		Married and Widowed,	..	.	..	..	..	..	5	5	5	5	1	5	..	..	..	..	13	
Total of Connaught	M.	Single,	..	7	10	9	3	5	...	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	33	..	108
		Married and Widowed,	...	.	.	..	..	..	...	3	3	5	4	2	..	..	..	17	..	
	F.	Single,	1	5	7	5	3	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	...	4	4	5	5	1	5	..	..	..	..	32	
Total Natives of Ireland,	M.	Single,	17	135	171	142	65	26	7	14	9	5	5	1	2	1	..	594	..	5,111
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	2	14	27	61	35	47	5	1	9	..	234	..	
	F.	Single,	11	87	158	114	197	171	59	34	18	9	3	2	..	..	..	..	813	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	1	14	54	121	117	79	21	11	5	7	..	..	460	
Persons belonging to other Countries:—																				
Great Britain,	M.	Single,	..	.	..	...	3	1	.. 2	.2	1	..	.	..	.	1	..	5	..	13
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	..	1	1	...	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	.	..	.	2	
The United States, Canada and the West Indies,	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Other Countries,	M.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
	F.	Single,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
General Total,	M.	Single,	17	135	171	143	68	27	9	15	15	5	5	1	2	1	..	615	..	2,129
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	..	5	14	29	61	36	48	5	1	10	..	235	..	
	F.	Single,	11	87	158	114	136	172	65	34	18	9	3	2	..	.	..	..	815	
		Married and Widowed,	..	..	..	..	1	14	84	122	117	75	21	12	5	7	..	..	462	

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TABLE 2.—Showing the OCCUPATIONS and AGES of MALE and

OCCUPATIONS.	AGES. Under 1 year	1 and under 5 years	5 and under 10	10 and under 15	15 and under 20	20 and under 25	25 and under 30	30 and under 35	35 and under 40	40 and under 45	45 and under 50
TOTAL MALES AND FEMALES.	28	222	329	256	207	215	176	201	206	193	77
TOTAL MALES.	17	135	171	142	95	29	23	45	71	72	53
CLASSES											
I.—*Professional and Independent Class.*	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—*Middle Class.*	..	..	..	..	13	8	2	10	5	4	1
III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.*	..	..	..	..	11	3	4	14	33	43	14
IV.—*General Service Class.*	..	..	..	..	30	16	15	16	32	22	35
V.—*Unspecified.*	17	135	171	141	11	2	2	5	1	..	2
I.—*Professional and Independent Class*:— Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—*Middle Class*:—											
Clerks and Accountants.	..	..	..	1	16	3	2	3	5	2	1
Farmers.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Schoolmasters and Teachers.	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..
Shopkeepers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Shop Assistants	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..
III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers*:—											
Bakers and Confectioners.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Blacksmiths.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..
Boiler Makers and Engine Fitters.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Boot and Shoe-makers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Bricklayers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Butchers.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cabinet-makers and Upholsterers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Carpenters and Joiners.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	6	15	6
Coopers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Engineers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	6	1
Miners.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..
Painters, Paper hangers, Plumbers and Glaziers	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	5	2	..
Saddlers and Harness-makers.	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	2	1
Shipbuilders and Shipwrights	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Tailors.	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Trades not before specified.	..	..	..	..	6	2	..	..	2	2	1
Other Occupations ranking with Trades.	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	7	6	4
IV.—*General Service Class*:—											
Stokers and Firemen.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Labourers.	..	..	..	..	28	16	13	15	30	27	36
Railway Labourers, Navvies, and Platelayers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Seamen.	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	1	..
Servants.	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
V.—*Unspecified (including children).*	17	135	171	141	11	2	2	5	1	..	2
TOTAL FEMALES.	11	87	158	114	162	186	153	156	135	86	24
I.—*Professional and Independent Class.*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—*Middle Class.*	..	..	..	1	31	26	15	5	..	2	..
III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.*	..	..	..	..	6	15	2	1	4	2	..
IV.—*General Service Class.*	..	..	..	..	86	125	56	37	16	16	4
V.—*Unspecified.*	11	87	158	113	12	18	80	113	116	72	20
I.—*Professional and Independent Class*:— Ladies.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
II.—*Middle Class*:—											
Clerks and Typists	...	...	..	1	20	11	2	1	...	...	..
Governesses, Schoolmistresses, and Teachers.	...	...	..	..	7	12	16	3	..	1	...
Shopkeepers.	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	1	...
Shop Assistants.	...	...	..	..	4	5	2	1	...	...	..
III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers*:—											
Dressmakers and Milliners.	..	..	..	..	2	5	1	..	4	1	...
Machinists.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Seamstresses and Shirtmakers.	..	..	..	..	...	3	..	...	..	..	..
Trades not before specified.	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	1	..	..	..
Other Occupations ranking with Trades.	..	..	..	..	1	4	1	..	...	1	...
IV.—*General Service Class*:—											
Farm Servants	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	...	..
Servants.	..	..	..	...	85	124	53	37	16	12	4
V.—*Unspecified (including wives and children).*	11	87	156	113	16	18	80	113	112	72	20

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FEMALE EMIGRANTS who left Ireland during the year 1917.

Ages: 50 and under 55	Ages: 55 and under 60	Ages: 60 and upwards	Ages: Not specified.	General Total	Nationality: Natives of Ireland: Leinster	Natives of Ireland: Munster	Natives of Ireland: Ulster	Natives of Ireland: Connaught	Persons belonging to other Countries	Occupations
23	8	18	..	2,129	677	78	1,248	108	18	TOTAL MALES AND FEMALES
6	3	11	..	852	256	37	493	50	14	TOTAL MALES
										CLASSES.
...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	..	I.—*Professional and Independent Class.*
1	..	..	..	48	13	4	24	..	1	II.—*Middle Class.*
2	..	1	..	125	32	8	54	10	1	III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers.*
3	3	10	..	102	64	6	107	14	1	IV.—*General Service Class.*
...	..	...	..	487	121	19	310	26	11	V.—*Unspecified.*
...	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	I.—*Professional and Independent Class:*— Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions.
1	...	...	..	67	15	4	17	...	1	II.—*Middle Class:*—
..	..	..	..	2	...	...	2	..	...	Clerks and Accountants.
...	..	..	..	3	1	...	2	..	..	Farmers.
..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	...	Schoolmasters and Teachers.
..	..	..	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	Shopkeepers.
										Shop Assistants.
...	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	...	III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers:*—
...	..	..	..	3		1	..	..	..	Bakers and Confectioners.
...	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	1	..	Blacksmiths.
...	..	..	..	1	...	1	..	..	...	Boiler makers and Engine Fitters.
...	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	...	Boot and Shoe-makers.
..	..	..	..	1	1	..	...	..	..	Bricklayers.
..	..	..	..	1	..	...	1	..	..	Butchers
..	..	..	..	35	3	1	28	1	...	Cabinet makers and Upholsterers.
..	..	..	..	1	1	..	.	..	..	Carpenters and Joiners.
..	..	..	..	11	7	..	1	3	..	Coopers
1	..	..	..	3	2	..	1	..	..	Engineers.
..	..	..	..	14	3	2	8	1	..	Miners
										Painters, Paper-hangers, Plumbers and Glaziers
..	..	..	..	9	3	..	1	3	..	Saddlers and Harness makers.
..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	Shipbuilders and Shipwrights.
..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	Tailors.
1	..	..	..	13	3		6	..	1	Trades not before specified.
..	..	1	..	26	14	..	10	1	..	Other Occupations ranking with Trades
..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	IV.—*General Service Class:*—
6	2	10	...	184	60	6	103	14	1	Stokers and Fireman.
..	..	..	...	1	1	...	..	..	..	Labourers.
..	..	..	...	3	3	..	2	..	..	Railway Labourers, Navvies, and Platelayers.
..	..	...	...	1	...	..	1	..	..	Seamen
										Servants.
..	..	..	..	487	121	19	310	26	11	V.—*Unspecified (including children)*
14	5	7	..	1,277	421	41	753	58	4	TOTAL FEMALES.
..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	I.—*Professional and Independent Class*
..	..	..	..	82	20	..	3	4	..	II.—*Middle Class*
1	...	..	..	31	11	2	1	..	..	III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers*
2	..	..	..	337	142	17	167	10	1	IV.—*General Service Class.*
11	5	7	..	827	248	22	510	44	3	V.—*Unspecified.*
..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	I.—*Professional and Independent Class:*— Ladies.
...	..	...	..	25	6	...	30	..	..	II.—*Middle Class:*—
...	...	...	..	33	11	..	20	2	..	Clerks and Typists
.	...	...	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	Governesses, Schoolmistresses, and Teachers
...	..	...	..	18	3	...	8	2	..	Shopkeepers.
										Shop Assistants.
..	..	..	..	13	5	2	5	..	..	III.—*Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers:*—
..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	Dressmakers and Milliners.
..	..	..	..	3	2	..	1	..	..	Machinists.
..	..	..	..	6	1	..	5	..	..	Seamstresses and Shirtmakers.
1	..	..	..	3	2	..	4	..	..	Trades not before specified.
										Other Occupations ranking with Trades.
...	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	IV.—*General Service Class:*—
2	..	..	..	335	142	17	165	10	1	Farm Servants.
										Servants.
11	5	7	..	827	248	22	510	44		V.—*Unspecified (including wives and children).*

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TABLE 3.—Showing the Destinations of the Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—from each County and Province during the year 1917, and the number of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the Population, according to the Census of 1911.

From what County or Province	To Foreign Countries and the Colonies							To Great Britain			General Total	Census Population in 1911	No. of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the Population.
	America (United States)	Canada	South Africa	Australia	New Zealand	Other Countries	Total	England and Wales	Scotland	Total			
Carlow,	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	19	10	29	30	36,252	0.8
Dublin Co. and Co Borough,	12	.	3	3	1	.	19	115	81	196	215	477,196	0.5
Kildare,	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	76	3	79	81	66,627	1.2
Kilkenny,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	74,962	—
King's,	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	56,832	0.0
Longford,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	5	16	16	43,820	0.4
Louth,	1	1	1	.	.	1	4	218	33	251	255	63,665	4.0
Meath,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	2	23	23	65,091	0.4
Queen's,	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	10	.	10	11	54,629	0.2
Westmeath,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	4	4	59,986	0.1
Wexford	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	102,273	—
Wicklow,	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	25	14	39	41	60,711	0.7
Total of Leinster	16	4	4	4	1	1	30	496	151	647	677	1,162,044	0.8
Clare,	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	24	.	24	25	104,232	0.2
Cork Co. and Co. Borough	11	.	.	.	.	.	11	5	6	11	22	392,104	0.1
Kerry,	3	.	.	.	.	.	3	6	3	11	14	159,691	0.1
Limerick Co. and Co. Borough	5	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	7	7	12	143,069	0.1
Tipperary,	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	152,433	0.0
Waterford Co and Co Borough	2	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	83,966	0.0
Total of Munster,	23	2	.	.	.	.	25	37	16	53	76	1,035,495	0.1
Antrim Co. & Belfast Co. Borough,	16	38	4	7	4	.	69	52	309	361	430	480,016	0.9
part of Armagh,	5	3	.	.	.	.	8	75	5	80	88	120,291	0.7
Cavan,	1	3	.	.	.	.	4	45	6	51	55	91,173	0.6
Donegal,	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	14	78	92	93	168,537	0.6
Down Co. & Belfast Co. Borough,	8	25	4	1	.	.	38	111	191	302	340	305,098	1.1
part of Fermanagh	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	43	9	52	53	61,836	0.9
Londonderry Co and Co. Borough	4	3	.	.	.	.	7	5	25	30	37	140,625	0.3
Monaghan,	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	38	.	38	39	71,455	0.5
Tyrone,	7	.	.	1	4	.	12	23	76	101	113	142,665	0.8
Total of Ulster,	43	72	9	9	8	.	141	406	701	1,107	1,248	1,581,696	0.8
Galway,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	8	3	182,224	0.0
Leitrim	3	.	.	.	.	.	3	13	.	13	16	63,582	0.3
Mayo,	1	1	.	.	.	.		12	8	20	22	192,177	0.1
Roscommon,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	9	9	96,956	0.1
Sligo,	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	23	33	56	56	79,045	0.7
Total of Connaught	6	1	.	.	.	.	7	57	44	101	108	610,984	0.2
Total Natives of Ireland.	86	79	13	16	9	1*	203	996	912	1,906	2,111	4,390,219	0.5

* Destination, West Africa.

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TABLE 4.—Showing the number of Male and Female Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—who left Irish Ports during each month of the year 1917.

Ports	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		The Year 1917		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Males	Females	Total
Ballina																											
Belfast,	25	47	6	21	4	6	23	44	25	28	31	33	25	33	44	50	33	35	26	36	46	49	25	23	339	413	742
Coleraine																											
Cork { Cork,	5	3			1												1								7	6	13
Cork { Queenstown																											
Drogheda,									3	2							4		3						12	2	14
Dublin,	35	40	31	29	16	30	21	19	22	33	24	23	16	40	34	22	19	30	34	36	10	26	23	28	277	355	632
Kingstown,																											
Dundalk,	2	17	3	12	4	8	3	2	8	2	16	6	3	3	1	3	2	6		4			1	1	44	70	114
Galway,																											
Greenore,	6	24	16	30	7	30	7	35	11	28	9	23	3	63	6	23	8	39	3	23	8	20	16	7	98	212	410
Larne,						2							1	1											1	3	4
Limerick,																											
Londonderry,	2	6	1	3	6	13	11	16	16	15	10	11	2	6	2	2	1	5	1	6	1	2	2	3	54	82	136
Newry,				2										1				1								4	4
Portrush																											
Rosslare,																											
Sligo,	1		4	2	3	7							1	6	6	8									14	23	37
Waterford,	6	2																							2	3	5
Westport,																											
General Total,	83	150	57	99	40	84	71	116	84	116	87	103	60	121	96	119	68	113	73	97	65	97	67	62	838	1,273	2,111
	218		156		124		187		196		166		187		211		181		170		162		129		2,111		

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